# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
# LOK SABHA

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GAS DISCOVERIES BY RELIANCE IN GUJARAT
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**Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether Reliance Group of companies have recently found huge reserve of Natural gas in Gujarat and exploration is being carried out at various sites;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether further exploration work is being car

(d) the details of the quantity of gas found;ried out; and

(e) if so, the areas in which this gas is likely to be utilised?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a)& (b) : No, Sir. Reliance Industries Ltd., the operator, is drilling a well in an offshore block, GK-OSJ-1, in the Gulf of Kutch.

(c)to (e) : Do not arise in view of the reply to parts (a) and (b) above.